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SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Dear Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, it is respectfully requested that this Second Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement be entered and the documents listed below and on the attached Form PTO-1449 be considered by the Examiner and made of record. Copies of the listed documents required by 37

C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(2) are enclosed for the convenience of the Examiner. Also enclosed is a copy of Form PTO-1449 submitted in this application on June 27, 2001. The patent referenced in the European Search Report is identified by an asterisk.

The references now cited are the following:

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European Search Report issued by the European Patent Office for European application number 02252109.0, 9/30/2002, pp. 1-4
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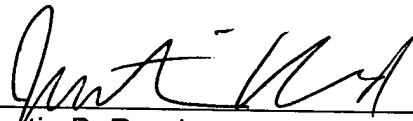
This Second Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is being filed prior to the receipt of the Second Official Action reflecting an examination on the merits and hence is believed to be timely filed in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b). No fees are believed to be due in connection with filing of this Second Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, however, should any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be deemed necessary for any reason relating to these material, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct said fees from Visteon Global Technologies, Inc. Account No. 06-1500. A duplicate copy of this document is enclosed.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(e)(1), Applicants hereby certify that each item of the information disclosed in this Second Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to filing of the present statement, as evidenced by the date of the enclosed search report.

Applicants respectfully request that the listed documents be made of record in the present case.

Respectfully submitted,

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